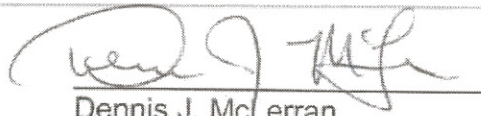


**DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY  
GENERAL, ADMINISTRATIVE, MISCELLANEOUS**

Monetary Awards

1. AUTHORITY. To approve monetary awards pursuant to Chapter 45, 5 U.S.C.
2. TO WHOM DELEGATED.
  - a. Authority to recommend and approve awards up to \$5,000 is delegated to all office directors.
  - b. Authority to recommend and approve awards up to \$4,000 is delegated to the Director, Manchester Laboratory.
  - c. Authority to recommend awards up to \$3,000 is delegated through all office directors to their associate directors, or equivalent, program managers, or equivalent, and unit managers, or equivalent.
  - d. Each person to whom authority is delegated or redelegated retains the authority.
3. LIMITATIONS. All monetary awards must have a supervisor as the recommending official and a different and higher level supervisor as the approving official except as set forth in 2.a above.
4. REDELEGATION AUTHORITY. This authority may not be redelegated.
5. SUPERSESSSION. This delegation supersedes R10 1-15 (06/21/2005) and any other delegation of the same authority.
6. ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.
  - a. 5 U.S.C. Chapter 45, 5 C.F.R., Part 451.
  - b. EPA Manual 3130, Recognition Policy and Procedure Manual.
  - c. Delegation 1-15 (04/07/2000).

7/28/16  
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